

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR ORIGINAL U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

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A MAGNETIC WRITE ELEMENT HAVING A WELL DEFINED COIL WALL STRUCTURE AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, the specification of which,

(check one)

1. is attached hereto.
2. was filed on September 19, 2000 as
U.S. Application Serial No. 09/665,431
and was amended on _____.
3. was filed on _____ as
International PCT Application Serial No. _____
and was amended on _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

(Appl. No.)	(Country)	(Filing Date)
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Priority Benefits Claimed?

Yes No

Yes No

Yes No

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